

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A pan head apparatus that can provide a camera device with a pan head includes a head unit where a camera can be mounted, a base unit having a stationary portion, a rotating mechanism, and a rotary portion
5 which is rotated with respect to the stationary portion by the rotating mechanism, and a hinge unit which pivotally connects the head unit and the rotary portion of the base unit. When the head unit and the base unit
10 are pivoted by the hinge unit, a state wherein the head unit and the base unit are placed substantially flat side by side and a state wherein the head unit is upright with respect to the base unit can be proposed.